

## Calendar No. 553

105<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION**S. 1736****[Report No. 105–314]**

To authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel BETTY JANE.

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**IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES**

MARCH 10, 1998

Mr. ROBB introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

SEPTEMBER 9, 1998

Reported by Mr. MCCAIN, without amendment

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. CERTIFICATE OF DOCUMENTATION.**

2       Notwithstanding section 27 of the Merchant Marine  
3 Act, 1920 (46 U.S.C. App. 883), section 8 of the Act of  
4 June 19, 1886 (24 Stat. 81, chapter 421; 46 U.S.C. App.  
5 289), and sections 12106 and 12108 of title 46, United  
6 States Code, the Secretary of Transportation may issue  
7 a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorse-  
8 ment for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel  
9 BETTY JANE, Virginia registration number VA 7271 P.



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